August 26, 2011

County Clerk/Registrar of Voters (CC/ROV) Memorandum #11065

TO:

All County Clerks/Registrars of Voters and Proponent

FROM:

Katherine Montgomery Initiative Program Manager

RE: Referendum: 1499, Related to Senate Redistricting Maps

Pursuant to Elections Code section 9006 (c), we transmit herewith a copy of the Title and Summary prepared by the Attorney General on a proposed referendum measure entitled:

## REDISTRICTING. STATE SENATE DISTRICTS. REFERENDUM.

The proponent of the above-named measure is:

Julie Vandermost c/o Charles H. Bell, Jr. Bell, McAndrews & Hiltachk, LLP 455 Capitol Mall, Suite 600 Sacramento, CA 95814

(916) 442-7757

#### #1499

# REDISTRICTING. STATE SENATE DISTRICTS. REFERENDUM.

#### CIRCULATING AND FILING SCHEDULE

Minimum number of signatures required:	. 504,760
Date of Certification:	08/15/11
Official Summary Date:Friday, (Elections Code § 336)	08/26/11
Petition Sections:	
a. First day Proponent can circulate Sections for signatures (Elections Code § 9014) Friday, 0	8/26/11
All sections are to be filed at the same time within each county within 90 days of the	11/13/11
signatures affixed to petitions and to transmit total	11/23/11
11/13/11, the county has eight working days from the filing of the petit to determine the total number of signatures affixed to the petition and	to
of signatures filed with all county clerks/registrars of voters meets the minimum number of required signatures	12/02/11*
voters who signed the petition, and to transmit certificate with a blank copy of the petition to the Secretary of State	01/18/12
1	Date of Certification:

<sup>\*</sup> Date varies based on the date of county receipt.

# REFERENDUM #1499 Circulating and Filing Schedule continued:

(If the Secretary of State notifies the county to determine the number of qualified voters who signed the petition on a date other than 12/02/11, the last day is no later than the thirtieth working day after the county's receipt of notification). (Elections Code §§ 9030(d) & (e).)

- - (If the Secretary of State notifies the county to determine the number of qualified voters who have signed the petition on a date other than 01/28/12, the last day is no later than the thirtieth working day after the county's receipt of notification.) (Elections Code §§ 9031(b) & (c).)
- Secretary of State certifies whether the petition has been signed by the number of qualified voters required to declare the petition sufficient (Elections Code §§ 9031(d), 9033).....Sunday, 03/17/12\*

<sup>\*</sup>Date varies based on the date of county receipt.

#### IMPORTANT POINTS

- California law prohibits the use of signatures, names and addresses gathered on initiative, referendum or recall petitions for any purpose other than to qualify the measure for the ballot. This means that the petitions cannot be used to create or add to mailing lists or similar lists for any purpose, including fundraising or requests for support. Any such misuses constitutes a crime under California law. Elections Code § 18650; Bilofsky v. Deukmejian (1981) 124 Cal. App. 3d 825, 177 Cal. Rptr. 621; 63 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 37 (1980).
- Please refer to Elections Code §§ 100, 101, 104, 9008, 9009, 9010, 9011, 9013, 9021, and 9022 for appropriate format and type consideration in printing, typing and otherwise preparing your initiative petition for circulation and signatures. Please send a copy of the petition after you have it printed. This copy is not for our review or approval, but to supplement our file.
- Please refer to the campaign disclosure requirements of the Political Reform Act of 1974, Government Code section 81000 et seq.
- When writing or calling state or county elections officials, provide the
  official title of the initiative or referendum which was prepared by the
  Attorney General. Use of this title will assist elections officials in
  referencing the proper file.
- When a petition is presented to the county elections official for filing by someone other than the proponent, the required authorization shall include the name or names of the persons filing the petition.
- When filing the petition with the county elections official, please provide a blank petition for elections official use.

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August 26, 2011

In the office of the Secretary of State of the State of California

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Debra Bowen, Secretary of State

Deputy Secretary of Slate

The Honorable Debra Bowen Secretary of State Office of the Secretary of State 1500 11th Street, 6th Floor Sacramento, CA 95814

Attention:

Ms. Katherine Montgomery

**Elections Analyst** 

Dear Secretary Bowen:

Pursuant to Elections Code section 9004, you are hereby notified that on this day we sent our title and summary for the following proposed initiative to the proponent:

11-0028, Referendum of State Senate Redistricting Plan

A copy of that title and summary and text of the proposed initiative is enclosed. Please contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Acting Initiative Coordinator

For KAMALA D. HARRIS Attorney General

DLM:

REDISTRICTING. STATE SENATE DISTRICTS. REFERENDUM. State Senate districts are revised every ten years following the federal census. This year, the voter-approved California Citizens Redistricting Commission revised the boundaries of the 40 Senate districts. This referendum petition, if signed by the required number of registered voters and filed with the Secretary of State, will: (1) Place the revised State Senate boundaries on the ballot and prevent them from taking effect unless approved by the voters at the next statewide election; and (2) Require court-appointed officials to set interim boundaries for use in the next statewide election. (11-0028)



INITIATIVE COORDINATOR ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

August 24, 2011

#### BY HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Kamela Harris Attorney General ATTN: Initiative Coordinator Department of Justice 1300 J Street, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor Sacramento, CA 95814

te: Referendum of State Senate Redistricting Plan

Dear Attorney General Harris:

Pursuant to your letter of August 24, 2011, on behalf of the undersigned proponent, this is to request that the Attorney General prepare a circulating Title and Summary for the proposed referendum of the Statewide Senate Map certified by the Citizens Redistricting Commission on August 15, 2011, pursuant to Section 9 of Article II and Section 2(i) of Article XXI of the California Constitution.

You have on file the statements pursuant to Elections Code sections 9001 and 9608, the name and residence address of the proponent, and our check for \$200.

The public contact information for counsel for the proponent is as follows:

Charles H. Bell, Jr.
Bell, McAndrews & Hiltachk, LLP
455 Capitol Mall, Suite 600
Sacramento, CA 95814
Phone (916) 442-7757
Email: cbell@bmhlaw.com

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Mie Vandermost

in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of California

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# Resolution California Citizens Redistricting Commission Certification of Statewide Senate Map

August 15, 2011

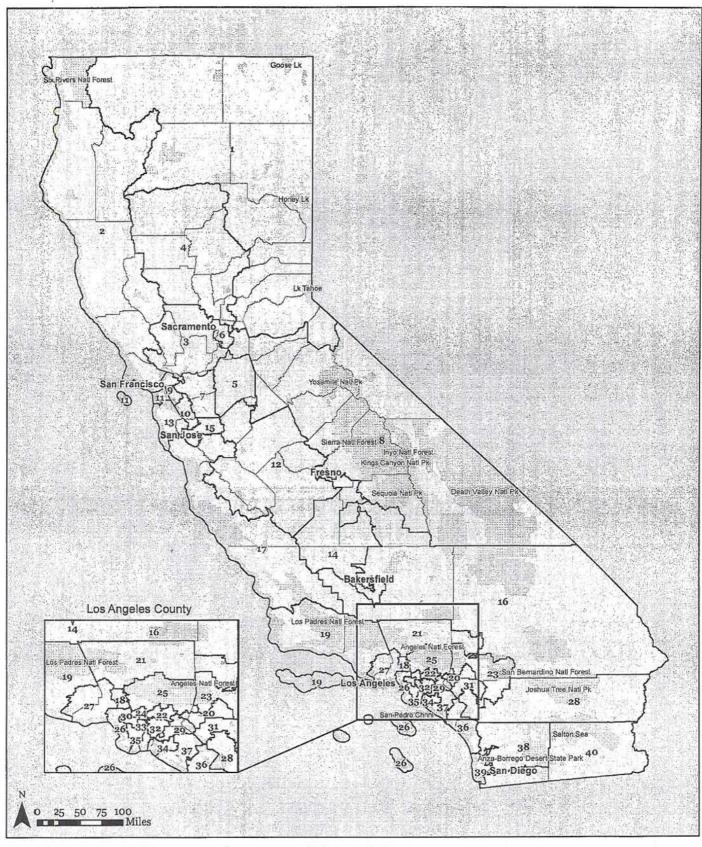
Whereas, on July 29, 2011 the California Citizens Redistricting Commission (Commission) voted to approve for posting and public comment the statewide Senate Map (Senate Map) referred to as the preliminary final Senate Map; and,

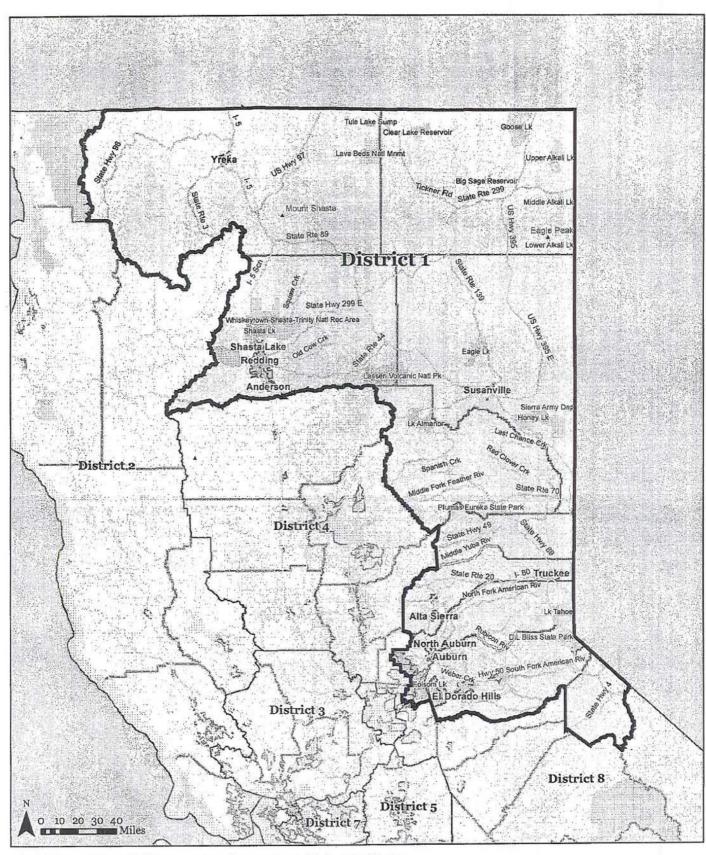
Whereas, on August 15, 2011, pursuant to Article XXI, Section 2(c)(5) of the California Constitution, the Commission voted to adopt as final the Senate Map, identified by crc 20110815 senate certified statewide.zip and secure hash algorithm (SHA-1) number 14cd4e126ddc5bdce946f67376574918f3082d6b.

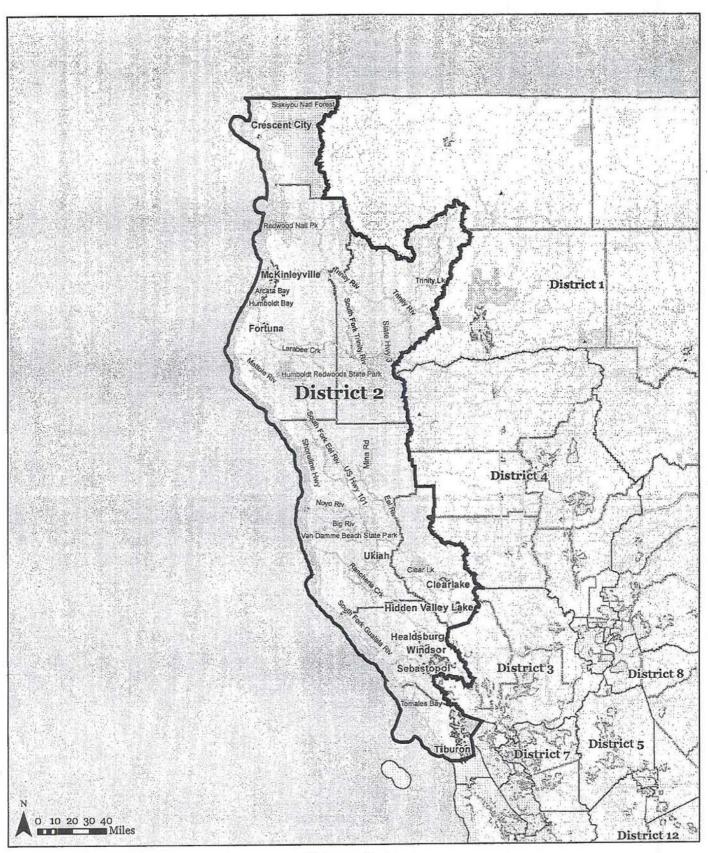
Now, therefore, be it resolved, that pursuant to Article XXI, Section 2 (g) of the California Constitution, the Senate Map, identified with the above referenced SHA -1 is hereby certified by the Commission and shall be delivered forthwith to the California Secretary of State; and,

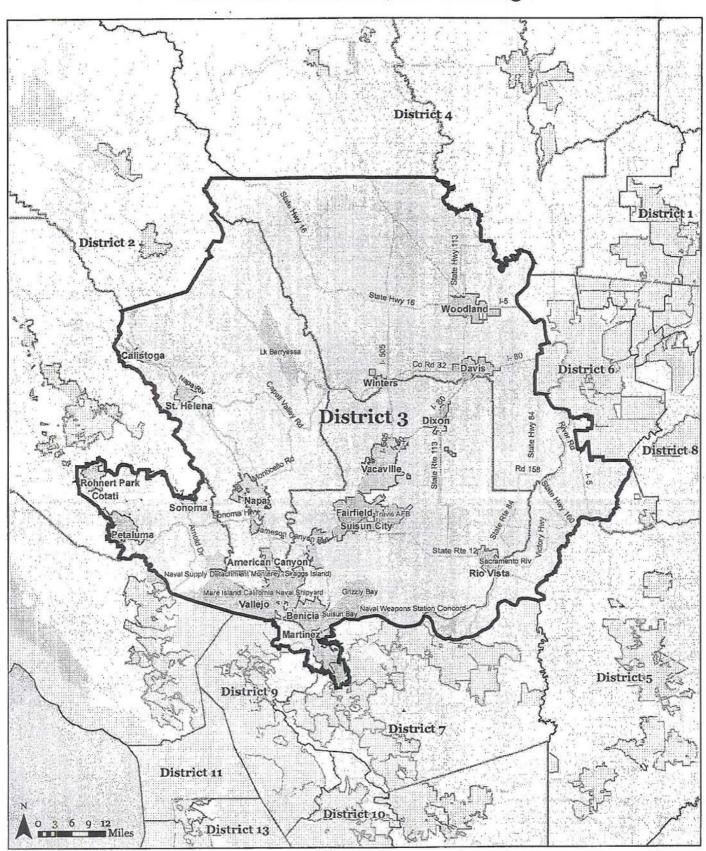
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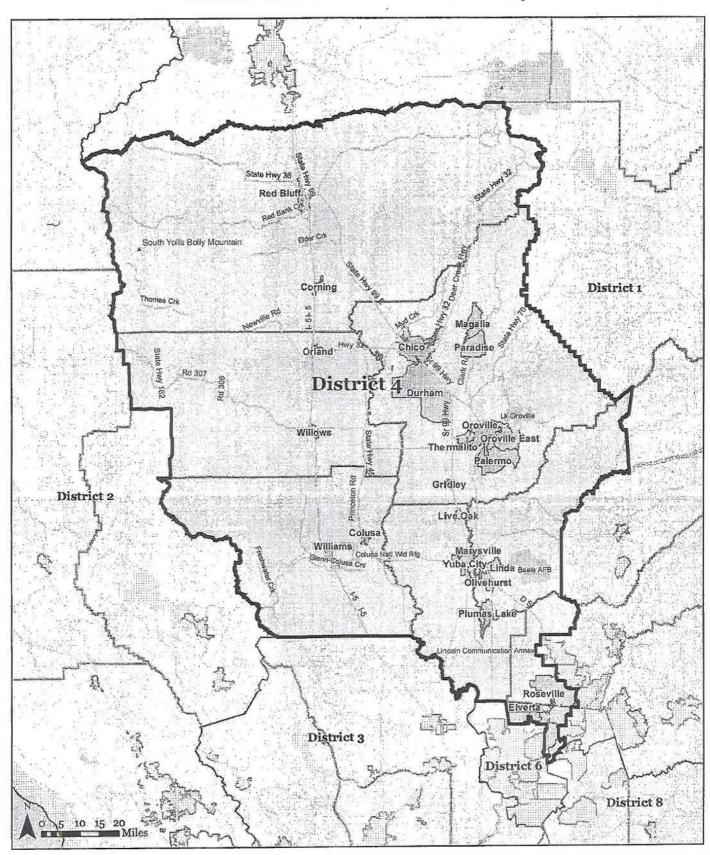
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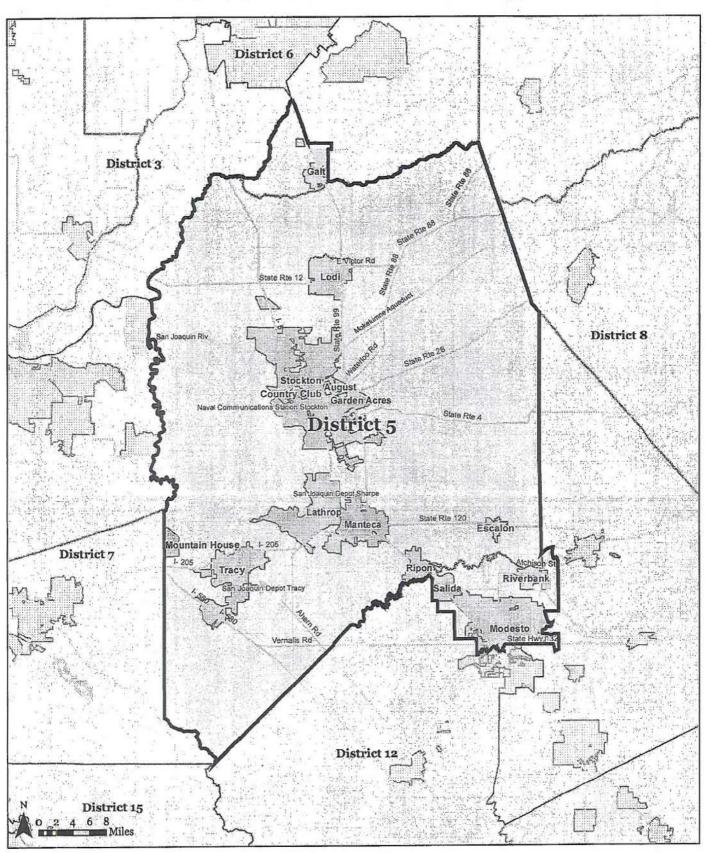


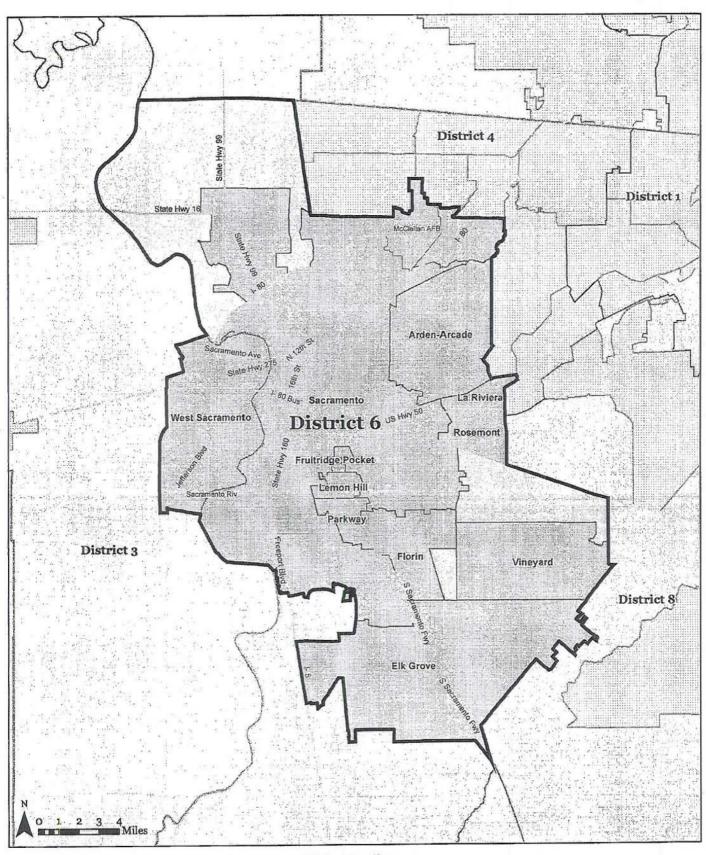


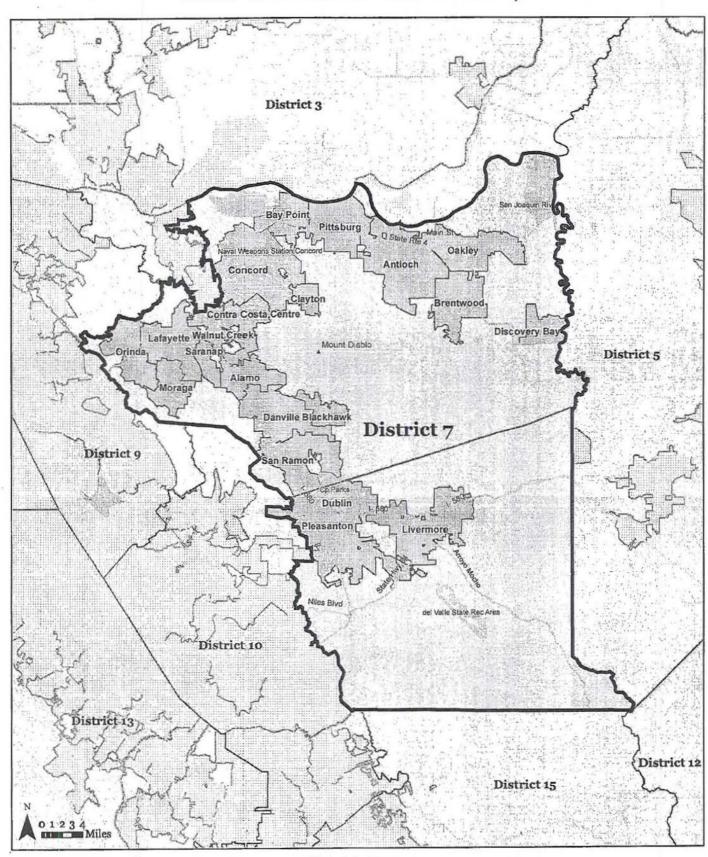


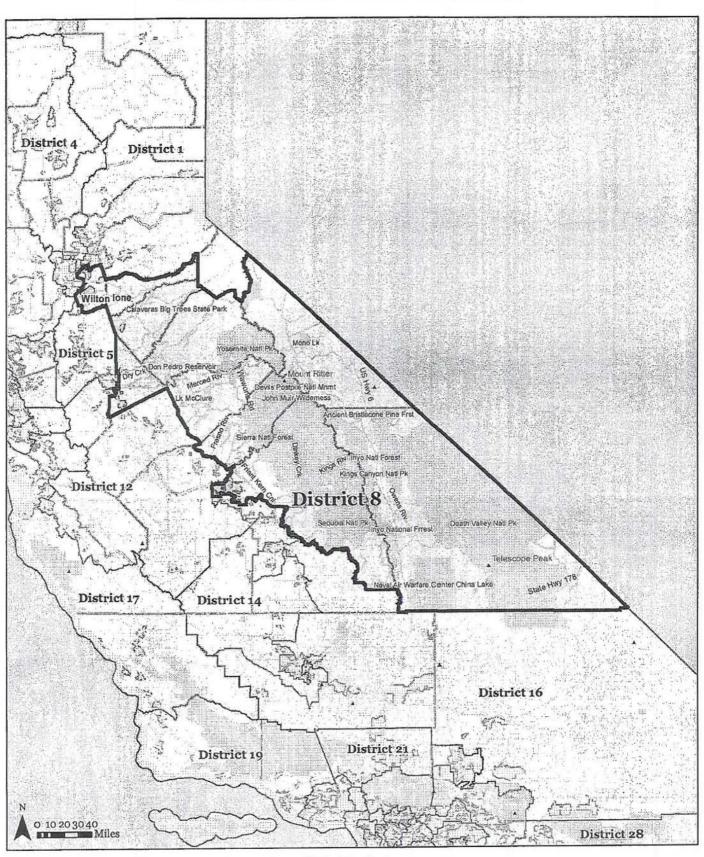


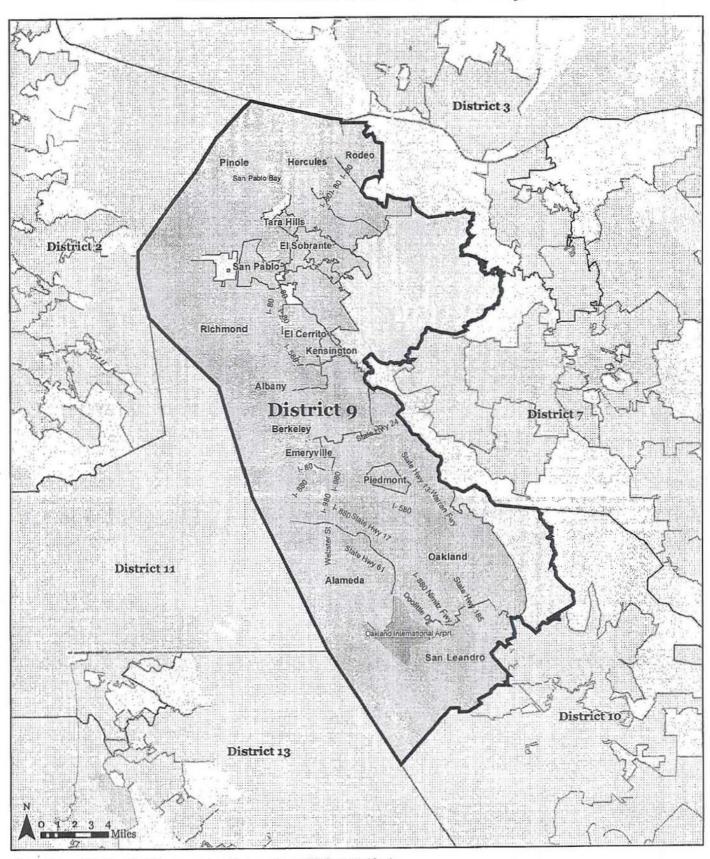


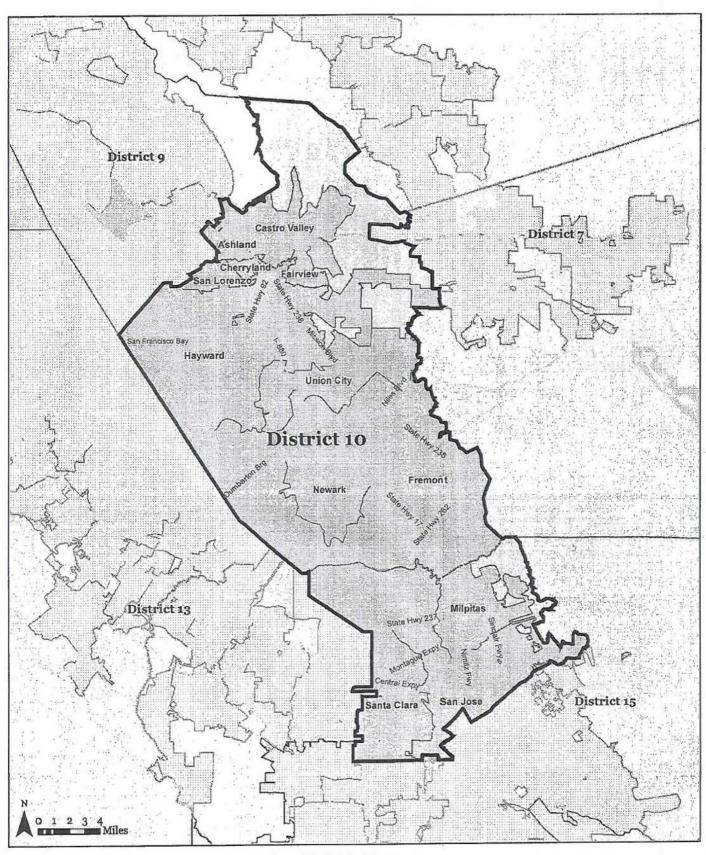


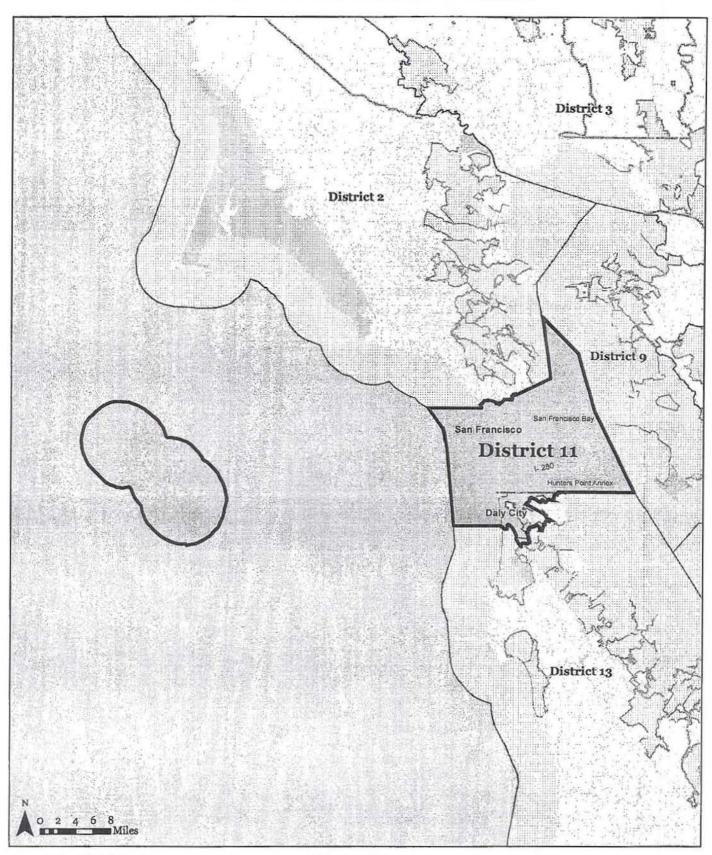












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